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Each Day

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INFORMATION FOR THE BUSY VOTER

THREE AMENDMENTS TO BE VOTED ON APRIL 7.

At the election to be held in this State on Monday, April 7, 1919, there will be submitted to the electors three proposed amendments to the Constitution of the state as follows:

A proposed amendment to Section 10, Article X of the Constitution, authorizing the State to borrow money to be used for highway purposes and issue bonds therefor, and to read as follows:

"Section 10. The state may contract debts to meet deficits in revenue, but such debts shall not in the aggregate at any time, exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars. The state may also contract debts to repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the state or aid the United States in time of war. The money so raised shall be applied to the purposes for which it is raised or to the payment of the debts contracted. The state may borrow not to exceed fifty million dollars for the improvement of highways and pledge its credit, and issue bonds therefor on such terms as shall be provided by law."

The effect of this proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to provide that the State may borrow money for highway purposes and issue bonds therefor.

A proposed amendment to Section 3, Article XVI of the Constitution, to prohibit the increase or decrease of salaries of Public Officers, and to read as follows:

"Section 3. Neither the legislature nor any municipal authority shall grant or authorize extra compensation to any public officer, agent, employee or contractor after the service has been rendered, or the contract entered into. Salaries of public officers except Supreme Court Justices, circuit court judges, probate judges and judges of courts of like jurisdiction, shall not be increased nor shall the salary of any public officer be decreased after election or appointment."

The effect of this proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to prohibit the change of salaries of Public Officers after appointment or election, except those of justices or judges of courts of record.

A proposed amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution, by adding a section thereof to be known as Section 12, and to read as follows:

"Section 12. It shall be forever lawful in this State to import, transport, manufacture, use, buy, sell keep for sale, give away, barter or furnish every kind of cider, wines, beer, ale and porter, and to possess the same in a private residence. So much of Section 11, Article XVI of this Constitution as prohibits the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away, bartering or furnishing of vinous, malt, brewed or fermented liquors, is hereby repealed. The legislature by general laws shall reasonably license the manufacture of, and reasonably license and regulate the sale and keeping for sale of vinous, malt, brewed or fermented liquors: Provided, however, that the electors of each city, village or township forever shall have the right to prohibit the manufacture, sale or keeping for sale of vinous, malt, brewed or fermented liquors within such city, village or township."

The effect of this proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to provide for the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, giving away, bartering or furnishing of cider, wines, beer, ale and porter in this State.

WATCH THE STOCK REDUCERS!

READERS: Get the names and addresses of all persons and companies offering you speculative or doubtful stocks and securities, particularly in exchange for your LIBERTY BONDS or WAR SAVINGS STAMPS, with copies of their "literature." Mail them promptly for investigation to the FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION.

HELP THE VICTORY LIBERTY LOAN!

MEDALS FROM CAPTURED GERMAN CANNONS FOR VICTORY LOAN WORKERS.

An interesting announcement from Washington, in connection with the coming Victory Liberty Loan campaign, is that the workers in the Victory drive will be awarded medals made from captured German cannon.

An official message to this effect, was received from the Treasury Department by Ben F. McCutcheon, Publicity director of the Liberty Loan organization, Seventh Federal Reserve district, the text of which follows:

"You are at liberty to make full use of the announcement that the Treasury Department will award medals made from captured German cannon to all workers during the Victory Liberty Loan campaign. The medal is the size of a half dollar and contains on one side a reproduction of the Treasury building and on the reverse side a certification of Loan participation. Space is left for engraving the name of the recipient."

"I heartily approve of this action of the Government in casting up honors made from German cannon to the workers in the Victory Liberty Loan campaign. It is a fine example of the use of the captured German cannon to the workers in the Victory Liberty Loan campaign. It is a fine example of the use of the captured German cannon to the workers in the Victory Liberty Loan campaign."

THE BALANCED RATION.

One day we awakened—we human—about feeding swine than we knew about feeding children. Agriculture colleges have told how to feed animals and plants, children could go. Pigs were worth dollars, boys were often a nuisance. The sun rises upon a new day and we are likely to find a boy is worth more than the stock yards of Chicago.

Michelson Memorial Church is aiming to give folks a balanced ration. Realizing that worship is possible in many different ways, the churches of today are endeavoring to meet the needs and create the worship in all parts of life. Play is of such importance that everyone plays. Sometimes our play is not helpful. The aim of this church on the hill is to furnish such play that the work of the church will be full of vigor and enthusiasm. The balanced ration of play, Bible study, social development, Sabbath devotion, all ministering to every part of our nature, is the aim. Anyone seeing the forty boys play Tuesday evening, would have been young again. And they sang at the proper time with as much energy. Much of the play material is new and the fun is contagious. But see the boys at Sunday School next Sunday.

Next week! Tuesday night men only. Come and renew your youth by such play as thousands of busy business men are enjoying all over. Medicine ball will interest you. Wednesday night boys at six-thirty. Play and sing.

Thursday night Bible study and discussion hour.

Friday night, choir practice and girls for play.

Saturday afternoon, March 23rd at two-thirty little folks for play and story.

Sunday, March 24th, morning sermon at ten-thirty. Evening service at seven o'clock. Fine attendance last Sunday. Join the Church going crowd. C. E. Doty, Pastor.

Michelson Memorial Church

RED CROSS NEEDS YOUR OLD CLOTHES.

Notify Committee or Send Parcels to Red Cross Rooms.

Crawford county Red Cross is required to furnish 900 pounds of clothing for the down-east sufferers. A committee composed of Miss Margaret Jensen and Miss Anna Boesen will have charge of the campaign and everybody is requested to aid them by calling them on the phone or send their parcels to the Red Cross rooms or the Salling Hanson company store. Please look over your supplies. Nearly every home has something to give, so kindly make up your bundles and notify the committee.

Miss Anna Nelson, Sec'y.

ELDORADO CITIZEN MENTALLY INSANE

JOHN (JACK) McMASTER TAKES HIS LIFE.

(Special to the Avalanche.)

Eldorado—Last Monday afternoon this community was rocked to its very foundations with excitement, when Mrs. John McMaster telephoned to the neighbors for help, saying that Jack had dropped dead of heart disease at their home on the main branch of the AuSable River. Conrad Wehnes and John W. Hartman, being the nearest, hastened to her assistance. On arriving there, they found Jack lying at the head of the stairs where he had fallen, and looking at him as he lay there and feeling of his flesh, they decided he was dead. Still thinking it was heart disease, they consulted with some of the neighbors by phone as to what steps would be best to take next. It was decided to have the coroner come, if possible. Being unable to come at that time, Dr. Insley, also Dr. Curran, of Roscommon who was consulted, advised getting a certificate of death from Dr. Ingelright of Rose City, who had treated Mr. McMaster for heart trouble. Dr. Ingelright, who had previously been consulted, advised getting the coroner. Later, after hearing the details, said that the circumstances he would send the certificate.

So those at the McMaster home proceeded to lay out the remains for burial, when it was found that his death had been caused by a gun shot. An urgent call was immediately sent out for the coroner. The telephone office at Roscommon being closed, Dr. Head and Burton Williams drove through the blizzard that was raging Monday night from the Williams farm to Roscommon, a distance of six miles, and called up Sheriff Richardson, giving him particulars so far as were known. Sheriff Richardson, accompanied by Prosecuting Attorney Fitch and Dr. Insley, arrived on the scene shortly after noon Tuesday, where it was decided that Mr. McMaster came to his death by his own hand.

Mr. McMaster returned home Monday from one of his periodical visits to his wife, and while there he had boarded himself in some rooms they have rented there. When he took the Monday morning he showed signs of great mental agitation, saying to the house he had staying in was haunted, and seeing strange things and things before him on the road. When nearing Eldorado he got the stage and walked as far as the Wehnes farm, getting Mr. Wehnes to take him home. After Wehnes had started for home, Jack said to his wife, "Now, Myra, a good girl and do the chores, I'm a good supper and we will have a drink." Mrs. McMaster proceeded to comply with his request and left a house for a short time. When turning with an armful of wood he thought she heard him fall. Dropping her wood, she rushed up to find him dead.

He had gone about taking his life in a very systematic manner, having emptied his pockets and placing their contents on the table. He had then a small slit in his shirt front so a muzzle of the gun would not slip. This was discovered by the ones who laid him out after the officers. Then taking his favorite hunting rifle—303 Savage—he placed muzzle next to his flesh, just below his heart, leaned over it, and in some way, pulled the trigger, the bullet passing through the body, but not the other at the back. Thus the report was muffled so his wife did not hear it, or if she heard, thought it was him falling.

He had remarked Monday that if he thought he was "going batty" he ought finish himself. The guns were kept standing in the corner just at the head of the stairs and when Mrs. McMaster found one fallen she thought he had knocked it down when he fell. There was very little blood in evidence, so therefore the mistaken idea that he had died of heart disease.

OBITUARY.

John McMaster was born in Bay City, Michigan, July 15, 1861, and his childhood and youth were spent in and about Bay City. As a young man he followed lumbering and river driving as a pursuit. In the Spring of 1893 he was united in marriage to Almira Tomlinson of Luzerne, Oscoda County. They spent their early married life on a homestead about a mile from their present home. For a number of years past Mr. McMaster acted as guide for fishermen in the summer and caretaker of Elm Run Lodge. He was a member of the Mio Lodge I. O. O. F. Was always pleasant and cheerful; a jolly good fellow with his friends, and was loved by his wife, whom he leaves a mournful loss. The funeral will be held from the Grange Hall at Luzerne, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

OFFICE OF REGISTRATION, BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP.

The qualified electors of Beaver Creek township: Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned township clerk, will open any day except Sunday and a legal holiday, or the day of any regular election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township not already registered, who may apply to me personally for such registration, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday, before any general election and the day of such election. All electors not already registered and intending to vote at the Spring election, April 7, 1919, should make personal application to me on or before the 29th day of March, 1919. A. Kille, Township clerk.

TOWNSHIP CANDIDATES CHOSEN

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP.

Republican Caucus.

The Republican caucus was held Monday night in the Court house. The night was stormy and anything but pleasant, however there was a good crowd present.

Melvin A. Bates was elected chairman and he made a few remarks telling of the excellent constructive work of the Republican party. He commended the ladies present for the interest they were taking in political affairs.

Following are the candidates nominated: Supervisor.....Melvin A. Bates Clerk.....Louis J. Kraus Treasurer.....Marius Hanson Justice of the Peace, Full term.....Allen B. Failing Justice of the Peace, To fill vacancy.....J. F. Alexander Highway commissioner.....L. Isenbauer Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1.....Daniel Hoesli Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2.....John Knecht Member of Board of Review, Full term.....Edward S. Houghton Member of Board of Review, To fill vacancy.....John J. Niederer Constables.....Michael Brenner.....William Miller.....Chris Jensen.....Clayton Tennant

Following is the Republican township committee elected to serve for the year: Melvin A. Bates, Marius Hanson and John J. Niederer.

Democrat Caucus.

The Democrat caucus was held in the Court house Tuesday night. Frank Sales acted as chairman of the meeting.

The following is the ticket nominated: Supervisor.....No nomination Clerk.....Ed. Milnes Treasurer.....Geo. W. McCullough Highway Commissioner.....Peter F. Jorgenson Justice of the Peace, Full term.....Ed. Clark Justice of the Peace, To fill vacancy.....Chas. Amidon Member of Board of Review, Full term.....Joseph Burton Member of Board of Review, To fill vacancy.....Warner Jorgenson Constables.....Carl Jensen.....Julius Jensen.....Johannes Rasmussen.....Ed. Stillwell

The following is the Democratic township committee elected: Frank Sales, Geo. McCullough, H. Petersen.

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP.

Judging from all reports the Republican caucus at Frederic was a binger. There were about 90 voters in attendance. The big fight seemed to be on the office of Highway commissioner, and several ballots had to be taken in order to make a choice. It was expected that there would be quite a contest for the office of Supervisor, however the present incumbent, Charles Craven, was easily nominated on the first ballot. There were about 30 women present. Following is the list of candidates nominated: Frederic Ticket—Republican.

Supervisor.....Charles Craven Clerk.....Ed. V. Barber Treasurer.....Geo. Burkhardt Highway Commissioner.....Geo. Horton Overseer of Highways.....James Pratt Justice of the Peace, Full term.....Bernard Kalahar Member of Board of Review, To fill vacancy.....Charles S. Barber

MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP.

It is said that in Maple Forest township there were many surprises. James F. Knibbs, the present Supervisor, was defeated for the nomination by Wm. S. Chalker. Rufus Edwards was defeated for clerk by Roberts. Mr. Knibbs was nominated for highway commissioner. It is rumored that one faction was not satisfied with the results and held another caucus following the regularly appointed one. We have been unable to obtain full list of the candidates; those reported are as follows:

Supervisor.....William S. Chalker Clerk.....S. Roberts Treasurer.....John Parsons Highway Commissioner.....J. F. Knibbs

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP.

A Citizens caucus was held in Lovells township in the Douglas hall at 12 o'clock noon, March 15. C. F. Underhill was elected chairman and Mrs. T. E. Douglas and Mrs. Joseph Simms were appointed tellers.

The first ballot for the office of supervisor gave James E. Kellogg 33 out of 34 votes cast. The ticket nominated is as follows:

Supervisor.....James E. Kellogg Clerk.....Joseph Kennedy Treasurer.....Thomas E. Douglas Highway Commissioner.....James Little Member of Board of Review, Full term.....Alfred Nephew Justice of the Peace, Full term.....Joseph Vance Justice of the Peace, To fill vacancy.....Andrew R. Caid Overseer of Highways, T-27-1.....Thomas Wakeley Overseer of Highways, T-28-2.....Clarence Stillwagon Constables.....L. G. McCrae.....Emma Stillwagon.....Percy Budd.....Carl Kellogg

BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Republican Ticket. Supervisor.....Arthur Kille Clerk.....Ralph Hanna Treasurer.....Abby Ellis Justice of the Peace, Full term.....John R. Skingley

PREPARE TO RECOUNT BALLOTS

LOCAL BALLOT BOXES WILL BE TURNED OVER TO FORD AND NEWBERRY ATTORNEYS

Transfer Will Be Made at Court House Sat. March 22.

Editor Crawford Avalanche, Grayling, Mich.

Dear Sir: We are enclosing herewith orders issued under recent date by the United States District Courts for the Eastern and Western Districts of Michigan.

In accordance with the terms of the orders, the attorneys for both Mr. Ford and Mr. Newberry have agreed upon the following dates and locations for transfer of the ballots in your locality. On the dates and at the places herein designated representatives of both Mr. Ford and Mr. Newberry will be present, and the custodians of the ballot boxes imperatively requiring the use of such ballot boxes in the election of April 7th are required to present same to the representatives, who, under court orders, must be present at the transfer of the ballots to temporary receptacles.

March 22nd, Grayling, County Bldg., 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

We would appreciate your co-operation in giving to this order and to the dates and locations as specified herein publicity, as we believe that a great many of the custodians of the ballot boxes will be informed of this order only through the medium of the press.

Thanking you for the courtesies extended, we are

Very truly yours, LUCKING, MURPHY, HELFMAN, LUCKING & HANSON, ATTORNEYS FOR HENRY FORD, J. D. MURFIN, ATTORNEY FOR TRUMAN H. NEWBERRY.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can do with, and doing well, whatever you do.

High School. Hazel Cassidy, who has an average of 95 for her high school work will be the valedictorian of the Graduating class. Lucile McPhee has second place.

Green was the prominent color of decoration in the assembly room Monday. Green neckties, hair ribbons, smocks, shamrocks and even hose, visible.

Room 34 is a sight pleasing to the eye. Ferns and many spring flowers fill the windows.

The English 10. A class have started argumentation. You ought to hear some of the debates.

The new list of the pupils allowed in the gymnasium is up.

The Botany 9 class has turned into a drawing class for a few days. They are sketching different kinds of twigs.

By the looks of things, more paper is being used by the beginners in typewriting than in any other class.

Some of the students nearly fell asleep the first period Tuesday morning. Were they up late getting the next day's lessons, or were they dancing. That's for you to decide.

The Science club met Saturday evening. Some of the questions in the question box were rather puzzling, but they were answered the best way possible by the members. The social time was also enjoyed.

Member of Board of Review two years.....George Annis Highway Commissioner.....Homer G. Benedict Overseer of Highways, T-25-3.....William Kile Overseer of Highways, T-25-4.....Geo. Annis Constable.....Ernest John Constable.....Emil Golinick Constable.....Frank Benedict Constable.....Howard Annis Supervisor.....Frank E. Love Treasurer.....John A. Love Justice of the Peace, Full term.....Joseph Wolf Member of Board of Review two years.....David Raymond Highway Commissioner.....Hans Christenson Overseer of Highways, T-25-3.....William Kile Overseer of Highways, T-25-4.....John Moon Constable.....Emil Golinick Constable.....Lynn Kile Constable.....Albert Moon Constable.....William Michler

SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP.

Republican Ticket. Supervisor.....O. B. Scott Clerk.....B. Earl Smith Highway Commissioner Oscar Rodden Member of Board of Review, Full term.....Joseph Scott Justice of the Peace, Full term.....Harry Sauders Democrat Ticket.

Clerk.....John F. Floeter Treasurer.....James F. Crane Highway Commissioner George Royce Member of Board of Review, Full term.....Hugo Schreiber Justice of the Peace, Full term.....James Williams

READING CIRCLE BOOKS.

For the Teacher's Examination April 24, 1919 may be secured from the commissioner at \$1.97 per set. Marguerite Hoyt.

Quick Cure for Croup.

Watch for the first symptom, hoarseness and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at once. It is prompt and effectual. Adv.

This issue of the Avalanche contains a list of lands in Crawford county to be offered for sale on May 6, 1919, for delinquent taxes of 1918 and previous years. 8-18-5.

EMIL KRAUS

Always a Clean Stock, well kept up, of the Season's Best Merchandise, in Dry Goods, Shoes, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Furnishings and Wearing Apparel.

Grayling's Leading Dry Goods Store

PHONE No. 811

MOCK ELECTION.

Entertainment and Instruction for Local People.

Under auspices of the Parents-Teachers' Association there will be an entertainment given at the High School auditorium Saturday, March 29, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

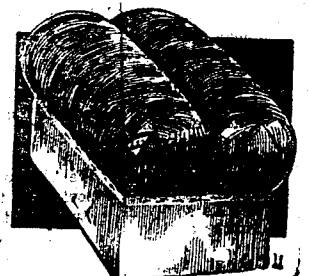
The program will consist of a mock election. Coming at a time just before the April 7th elections this feature will be especially interesting and also instructive.

There will be a regular election place, provided with voting booths, a full corps of election inspectors, clerks, gate keepers etc. Melvin A. Bates will act as chairman of the election board and incidentally aid in giving out information to any voters who may want aid.

This entertainment will be free to all and the public is cordially invited and all ladies are especially invited to attend. 8-20-2.

KARPUS BIG STAR.

Karpus has been the phenon of the 1919 season. It was his spectacular work that led to the Wolverine triumph over Northwestern and to the final rally which clinched the Ohio State contest. He has been the main cog of the Maize and Blue offensive all season. "Karp" is a wonderful floor man, his dribbling, passing and general advancing of the ball being one of the sensations. He ranks fourth among the high-scoring men.



GOOD THROUGH AND THROUGH.

Lincoln proved equal to a great emergency because he was really good through and through. That is a quality we try to put into our baking. Our bread will satisfy you because the loaves are large, light, flaky, well baked and just as palatable and nourishing as they look. If you have been eating ordinary bread, try ours and see the difference. We'll stand or fall by the comparison.

THE MODEL BAKERY



The Ford Factory has not yet reached normal production. It will take some time, after being entirely given over to war work. We are getting a few cars right along, and suggest that you leave your order with us as soon as possible and we will deliver as soon as possible. Runabout, \$500; Touring Car, \$525; Coupe, \$650; Sedan, \$775; One Ton Truck Chassis, \$550. These prices f. o. b. Detroit. Don't forget the service we give in our shops, genuine Ford Parts, Ford skill and Ford prices.

GEORGE BURKE, Grayling, Mich.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 20.

Local News

Order the Detroit Free Press and
 Journal delivered to your home.
 Guaranteed delivery. Phone 87. C.
 C. Fink.

J. E. Crowley is in attendance at the
 annual convention of the Roadmas-
 ters' and Maintenance of Way asso-
 ciation of America held in Chicago
 this week.

The new grocery store of Nick
 Schjotz was first opened to the pub-
 lic last Saturday and was visited by
 a large crowd of Saturday shoppers.
 Coffee and fresh cakes were served to
 anyone who wished for them free of
 charge.

Mrs. John A. Johnson, who is in a
 serious condition at Mercy hospital
 shows no improvement today. Mrs.
 Johnson was brought to the hospital
 from her home north of town last
 Sunday. Her son Chris Johnson ar-
 rived yesterday from Fond du lac,
 Wis., on account of her illness.

The basket ball games at West
 Branch last Friday night resulted in
 defeat for both Grayling teams. The
 contest between the Grayling All
 City boys and the All City team of
 West Branch ended in a score of 12 to
 9 in the latter's favor. From reports
 this game must have been more or
 less of a foot ball game. Anyhow
 Roy Milnes received a severe gash in
 his head measuring an inch and a
 half long, and it was necessary to
 call a physician to dress the wound.
 Grant Thompson had both ankles
 sprained in the mix-up. Those of
 the All City, who went to West
 Branch were Milnes, Thompson,
 Shannahan, Doroh, Roeser Chamber-
 lin and Brown. When West Branch
 played in Grayling the Friday night
 previous, the score was 64 to 7 in
 Grayling's favor. West Branch must
 have put on a fine steam since then.
 The score of the girls' game, which
 was played between the Grayling
 High and West Branch High was 14
 to 2. And only the first half of the
 game was played, as Grayling only
 had five players, and Janet Matson
 was disabled in the first half. One
 of their best players, Jennie Karpus
 was unfortunate in missing the train
 that took the team to West Branch
 for the game.

REV. KJOLHEDE CELEBRATES
75TH BIRTHDAY ANNI-
VERSARY.

Last Sunday, March 16, was a happy
 day for Rev. Kjolhede, as he cele-
 brated the 75th anniversary of his
 birth on that day. Rev. Kjolhede has
 been pastor of the Danish-Lutheran
 church since 1908 and during that
 time has won the love and admiration
 of all the good people of that con-
 gregation. To celebrate the occasion,
 special services were held at the Dan-
 ish-Lutheran church Sunday morn-
 ing. At this service Rev. S. D. Rod-
 holm, son-in-law of Rev. Kjolhede
 who came from Des Moines, Iowa,
 and Rev. J. A. M. Rodholm of Man-
 itowish officiated.

At this service the entire congre-
 gation were invited to gather at Dan-
 ebod hall to spend the evening. At
 the appointed time, four o'clock, a
 large crowd had assembled, and after
 singing by the whole gathering, short
 talks were given by Rev. and Mrs.
 Kjolhede and Rev. J. A. M. Rodholm.

The Ladies' Aid society announced
 supper at 6:00 o'clock and everyone
 present was invited to partake of
 this. The tables in the basement
 were decorated with cut flowers for
 the occasion and the supper was nicely
 served by the ladies. As soon as
 everyone had finished eating and gar-
 gered in the upper room, Rev. S. D.
 Rodholm, who had spent several
 months in France in service as chap-
 lain, told of his life across the sea.
 This proved to be most interesting.
 The guests dispersed at 8:00 o'clock
 wishing Rev. Kjolhede many more
 happy birthdays. The fragrance of
 an abundance of flowers filled the air
 in the rooms at Danebod. These were
 gifts to the good pastor from the
 different societies of the church and
 also from individuals.

CATHOLIC CHURCH NOT FOR
WINE AND BEER.

Correction is Made of Reports Circu-
 lated Through State by Liquor
 Interests.

Lansing, Mich.—Reports, said to
 have been circulated by emissaries of
 the liquor interests, which attempt to
 convey the impression that the Catho-
 lic church in Michigan is giving its
 support to the wine and beer amend-
 ment, have been branded as false-
 hood by clergy of the Roman denomina-
 tion.

"The Catholic church is not giving
 its support to the wine and beer
 amendment," declared a representa-
 tive of the denomination, who pre-
 ferred that his name be withheld.
 "In fact it is taking no part whatso-
 ever in the campaign. There is no
 truth in reports which would have the
 public believe otherwise."

It was found before the denial was
 issued that liquor interests promot-
 ing the wine and beer amendment
 were endeavoring in many sections of
 the state to secure support for their
 measure by capitalizing religious pre-
 judices.—Anti-Saloon League.

A Boston Child.

"Our child is backward. Four years
 old and takes no interest in Shakes-
 peare." "That does not necessarily in-
 dicate that the child is backward. He
 may believe that Bacon wrote the
 plays."—Kansas City Journal.

MERCY HOSPITAL.
1918-1919.

In this report of the past year, we
 attempt to show to our friends and
 benefactors, who are to a large ex-
 tent responsible for our success, that
 the charity and confidence bestowed
 on our Institute has not been mis-
 placed.

The care of the sick is a privi-
 lege and a positive Christian duty,
 but no thinking person would suggest
 that this can be accomplished without
 money. We have no endowment with-
 out which to meet expenses, as many in-
 stitutions have. So we endeavor to
 provide the best care and attention to
 the sick for the least money. The
 sum derived from the patients is not
 sufficient to keep up repairs and make
 any marked improvements. There-
 fore we must depend on the benevol-
 ent in order to accomplish our
 "Ideals" and carry on our work.

On looking over our records, we
 find the charity of last year amount-
 ed to \$1,908.75, representing 583
 days' services given at \$2.25 per day.
 While nothing would give us greater
 pleasure than to be able to do more
 charity, we are handicapped for want
 of funds, as well as lack of room at
 times.

Statistics are as follows:

Total number of patients admitted—399.

Total number of patients discharged—379.

Total number of days' services—5,500.

Sex.

Male.....194

Female.....205

Diseases.

Medical cases.....120

Surgical cases.....176

Obstetrical cases.....33

Communicable cases.....70

Civil Condition.

Married.....141

Single.....240

Widowed.....18

Religion.

Protestant.....213

Catholic.....105

No Religion.....31

Discharged.

Patients remaining in hospital Dec.

31st, 1917.....12

Cured.....313

Improved.....42

Unimproved.....8

Died.....8

Moribund.....7

Financial Statement.

Receipts.

Cash on hand.....\$ 14.86

Board and care.....5,998.11

Operating room.....787.70

Sale of Drugs.....65.22

Special Nursing.....465.74

Ambulance.....65.00

Donations.....322.55

Hospital Aid fees.....40.00

Theatre Play.....213.68

Sundries.....102.55

\$12,767.42

Expenditures.

Groceries.....\$1,934.95

Meat and Butter.....1,012.76

Fuel and Light.....1,350.56

Feed.....844.70

Telephone.....40.63

Freight and drayage.....32.38

Hosp. and surgical supplies.....1,333.12

Drugs.....856.01

Books and magazines.....94.00

Ice and water.....209.26

Stationery and postage.....51.93

Labor and salaries.....2,698.16

Repairs and furnishings.....249.18

Sundries.....105.05

New building.....540.00

Interest on Debt.....80.00

Balance.....44.68

\$12,767.42

Debt from 1917.....2,000.00

Accounts payable.....155.98

\$ 2,155.98

We gladly avail ourselves of this

opportunity to thank all those who

contributed to the Hospital in any

way, whether in cash, flowers, fruit,

literature and other articles.

Too much praise cannot be given to

the members of the Hospital aid for

their untiring interest and the excel-
lent work they have accomplished at
the meetings.

The Training school has also been

very successful. This fact has been
attested by the large percentage of
its Alumnae, who are holding posi-
tions as Supervisors, head nurses and
other responsible positions.The Authorities of the School en-
deavor to conform to the Curriculum
recommended by the Michigan State
board, in order to qualify the nurse
for the State examinations.Students are admitted in regular
classes May 1st and Sept. 1st, vacan-
cies that may occur are filled anytime.
The requirements for admission are
good moral character, health, suitable
age and education, mental and phys-
ical capacity for the duties of the
trained nurse.We would like to form a large class
for May 1st. Any young lady who
feels she has avocation for the art of
caring for the sick, should make an
effort to follow this vocation, for the
world is unable to supply the demand
for nurses by about one-half.

Sisters of Mercy Hospital.

GRACE MISSION.

South Side.

Greetings in the precious name of

Jesus to the faithful in Christ and

friends in Grayling and country.

Just a word to inform you that we

are doing business for the King of

Kings. Rev. W. H. Watson of Grand

Rapids will preach for us next week

Wednesday and Thursday, March 26

and 27 at 7:30 p. m.

Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m.

and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 10

a. m.

All seekers after the pure unadul-

terated truth of God's infallible word

are welcome.

Evangelist Chas. A. Strait, acting

superintendent of Mission.

F. D. Griffin, superintendent of

Sunday school.

Chas. A. Strait.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN ANSWERS
LAST CALL.

Collins W. Wight was Resident of
 Crawford County For Forty-two
 Years.

Again the ranks are broken, and
 there is one less left of our veterans
 of the Civil War. Collins Willard
 Wight, the subject of this article,
 was born in Barnard, Vermont, July
 16, 1843. He resided in Vermont
 until 1863, when he enlisted in Co. B,
 of the Vermont Heavy Artillery and
 served until the end of the war. Soon
 after the war he went to Dayton,
 Ohio, where on March 16, just fifty
 years ago last Sunday he was united
 in marriage to Miss Rebecca Steitz,
 who has been his help mate all their
 life. No children blessed the union,
 but nevertheless theirs has been a
 very happy home. In 1877, Mr. and
 Mrs. Wight came to Crawford county,
 and located in Frederic, where for a
 time they managed a farm north of
 that place. In connection with this
 Mr. Wight with his brother dealt in
 timber. Mr. Wight's failing strength
 caused him to seek lighter work, and
 so in 1888 he came to Grayling and
 entered into the grocery and restaur-
 ant business, where the Sorenson
 Brothers' furniture store now stands,
 but during the past number of years
 he had been incapacitated from man-
 ual labor.

Death occurred Tuesday noon at
 one o'clock at his home on the corner
 of Ionia and State streets, where the
 happy couple have resided since com-
 ing to Grayling, during the past 31
 years. Bright's disease was the di-
 rect cause of death, from which the
 old gentleman has been suffering for
 about twenty-five years. For the
 past year, he has been able to leave
 his home on but few occasions. He
 was a quiet, unassuming and kindly
 respected citizen. He was the oldest
 member of the local lodge of the
 P. O. E. for a number of years, and also of
 the Bay City Community. No. 26,
 Knights Templars.

Besides his wife he leaves two daugh-
 ters and two brothers. Mrs. Emma
 (Dove) and Mrs. Dora (Hart) of
 Vermont. Eugene Wight of Grand
 Rapids and Leroy Wight of Fairview,
 Nebraska.

The funeral will be held Sunday af-
 ternoon, and conducted by the Pa-
 rsons. There will be a service at
 the home at 2:30 p. m. and at 3:00
 o'clock at the Methodist church.

ELDORADO NUGGETS.

James F. Connor, Treasurer of the
 Branch Township, was in Grand Ra-
 pids last week making the semi-annual
 county report.

Miss Alice B. Bland, who has been
 teaching at the school in this town
 for the past year, will leave for her
 home in Michigan next week.

Charles Bland and his wife, a last
 week's caller in the city, were in
 William Fowler and Co. to purchase
 a new suit of clothes.

Mr. J. C. McEwen, Mr. J. C. McEwen
 and his brother, Mr. J. C. McEwen,
 who are now in the city, are expect-
 ing to leave for their home in Michi-
 gan next week.

One of Chicago's best known finan-
 ciers—Ernest A. Hamill, president of
 the Corn Exchange National bank in
 a recent interview referred to Lib-
 erty bonds as "the premier investment
 security of the world," and advised
 everybody fortunate enough to pos-
 sess war loan securities not only to
 hold onto these they now possess,
 but to acquire as many more as pos-
 sible, as "they will rise in value as sure
 as the sun."

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 proper care of yourself, in fact, a bot-
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 winter and spring months.

—Adv.

Merely a Superstition.

There is no kind of a rod, or in-
 strument, which will locate minerals in
 earth with any degree of certainty.
 Sometimes a bed of iron ore will affect
 the magnetic needle of a compass,
 or a surveying instrument, but it is
 nothing that will locate the precious
 metals.

COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN.

Something of the vast scale upon
 which farmers are being marshalled
 for the work of improving agricul-
 tural conditions within the state, is
 disclosed in the annual report of Dr.
 Eben Mumford, State Leader of
 County Agent work.

"During the year," the report sets
 forth, "the Farm Loan associations
 were formed to assist farmers in ob-
 taining credit; 19 pure seed and 22
 potato growers' associations were
 formed to encourage the planting of
 improved varieties of grains and po-
 tatoes; two cow testing associations
 were formed to promote improvement
 in livestock; five milk producers, or-
 ganizations were formed to deal with
 distribution problems; nine bee-keep-
 ing associations were formed to help
 the honey business; eight associations
 to ship livestock were established and
 finally 55 associations were formed to
 assist the farmers in obtaining better
 markets and more equitable prices for
 their products."

The following items relative to the
 money to be made by the adoption of
 standard varieties of potatoes comes
 from the Upper Peninsula. "An av-
 erage of 15 cents per bushel above
 the general market price was obtain-
 ed for carload lots of potatoes of the
 Green Mountain variety," declared
 J. W. Weston, Leader of County Ag-
 ricultural Agents in the Upper Pen-
 insula. "Figuring on a production
 of 4,000,000 bushels of potatoes of
 this strain in the upper peninsula
 this season, the adoption of stand-
 ard varieties, if only half these were
 shipped out," he added.

The work of interesting the farm-
 ers in improved spuds was largely
 carried on by county agents and field
 men of M. A. C. co-operating with
 county bureaus and local agencies.
 The Green Mountain variety is the
 one adopted by the large potato grow-
 ers of the upper peninsula as the
 standard variety suitable to that sec-
 tion of the state as the Petoskey
 Russet is the variety adopted
 in this part of the lower peninsula.
 Having shown up best. The latter
 is the result of close half selection of
 the Russet Russet for several years,
 to color, uniformity, size, depth of
 freedom from disease, quality
 and marketability.

County Agent Johnston met this
 week with the Commission recently
 organized by the Governor to report
 measures for the participation by
 farmers in the movement toward
 shipping farms to returning sol-
 diers and sailors. Unfortunately the
 Commission has a one hundred million
 dollar revolving fund was submerged
 in the disaster carried on at the last
 session of Congress. It is expected
 that this money will be tak-
 ing the next congress and passed.
 It was decided that Michigan
 should go ahead and get ready to
 handle the work independent of the
 Federal Government if necessary.

Associated with this movement is
 the colonization and financial
 assistance of civilians. The com-
 missioner appointed by the
 Michigan Livestock congress and a
 committee is now being drafted which
 will provide for the incorporation of
 such companies, the filing with
 a Public Domain Commission of a
 plan of action to be carried on by
 the company which will provide for
 the settlement of such companies
 in community halls, schools, re-
 creation grounds, elevators, ware-
 houses and other agencies for mar-
 keting and distributing the products
 of such communities, regulating the
 affairs of such companies, providing
 terms for payment of land which
 is to be given principal and interest
 not to exceed 7 per annum, pro-
 viding for co-operative companies in
 the future being established and tak-
 ing over the above named agencies in
 such companies to co-operate
 with the Federal Government, the
 State, County, Townships and drain-
 age districts in building roads and
 canals, the issue of bonds secured by
 the land contracts of such companies
 after investigation by the Public Do-
 main Commission with the assistance
 of the Agricultural college, also ex-
 amination and approval by the Mich-
 igan Securities Commission, giving
 such bonds when so approved a stand-
 ard allowed to securities used by
 banks and insurance companies for
 the payment and security.

Companies thus operating in
 Michigan under similar plans and
 reported that they hold 98% of
 their settlers and that the propo-
 sition is gilt edged all through.

The old haphazard way of coloni-
 zation in Michigan has got to go.
 Selling a man a piece of land in the
 wilderness whether it be good or bad,
 giving him out and showing him a
 map and telling him that is the cor-
 ner of his land and leaving him there
 to struggle the balance of his life for
 a school, financial aid, markets
 and a humane procedure and has got
 to be abolished if we are ever going
 to get anywhere in the proper length
 of time.

Your HOUSE Becomes a HOME if
 Decorated With
HENRY BOSCH COMPANY'S
SUPERB WALL PAPERS

The World's Best, and at
 Moderate Prices

Samples Shown at Your Home
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YOU SHOULD READ:

The laff-a-lot three

Dere Mable.
That's Me all over, Mable.
Dere Bill.
The complete correspondence of beautiful Mable and her handsome beau, Bill, who is a "rookie" in the army. 75c the book

Simple Souls

The story of the duke who was a reptilian biologist and very very absent minded and of the drink-loving laborer's daughter who was "different" \$1.35

Too Fat to Fight

"Dimples makes good in the army." 60c

Dere Godchild

James P. Jackson, Jr., aged eleven, adopts a French war orphan and is disappointed in "him" \$1.00

We have in stock all numbers of the famous 'Tarzan' books; also Edgar Rice Burroughs' other book, 'A Princess of Mars.'

A. M. LEWIS, Druggist

LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 20.

Have you seen Nick?

Tomorrow is the first day of Spring.
Miss Coletta Smith spent Sunday at her home in West Branch.

John Balcer was in Bay City over Sunday visiting at his home.

Figures sometimes lie, but never when viewed thru a pair of Hathaway's glasses.

My opening day being on April fools' Day, I hope you will take it in the light, it is meant—Frank.

The Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccabees wish to announce that a dance will be held at the Temple Theatre on March 27. Music by Clark's orchestra.

Mrs. A. E. Mason was at home to a large company of ladies Monday afternoon. It being St. Patrick's day, green was the color scheme for the refreshments, which were both dainty and tasty. Mrs. A. J. Joseph received the first prize and Mrs. Holger Peterson the second prize for "500." It was a very pretty party and exceedingly enjoyable.

Read our Saturday specials, and save money. Salling Hanson Co.

Nick is waiting for you.

Amos Buck of Michelson was in the city Tuesday on business.

Plain white tea cups, best American won, offered at 27 cents this week and next as long as the stock lasts. Sorenson Bros.

Mrs. Guy G. Pringle and youngest brother, Oscar Olson left Tuesday for Detroit to join the former's husband who is employed in that city.

Prof. Otterbein is in Ypsilanti this week for the purpose of engaging teachers to fill vacancies that may occur in the next year's corps.

Mrs. Frank Causley of Bay City arrived Monday to spend the week here visiting her aunt Mrs. John Mathiesen. Mrs. Causley will be remembered as Miss Genevieve Fobart, who made her home here with her aunt at one time.

Regular Social meeting. The L. N. L. ladies will meet with Mrs. Macracken (residing in the Geo. Collier residence) Thursday p. m. March 27. Committee:—Mildred Corwin, Anna Austin, Lottie Athurstun, Hannah Brown, Lura Collens, Ellen Chappel and Agnes Dutton.

All Partial payment and full paid coupon bonds and all registered bonds paid in full time of subscription of the 4th Liberty Loan are now ready for delivery. Partial payment registered bonds have not yet been received. Please call for your bonds at once. Bank of Grayling.

For sale—Hatching eggs from thorough-bred white rocks. Phone No. 1161. E. J. Olson.

PETERSEN'S GROCERIES

For Satisfaction in groceries go to Petersen's. The quality of the goods, and the fairness of the prices will win the good will and appreciation of the most particular customers.

Green onions, celery, etc., fresh every SATURDAY.

Phone 25, or better yet call yourself.

H. Petersen

NICK SCHJOTZ
The Pure Food Store

Groceries

Our stock of groceries are pure and of the best quality.

Fresh Cookies

Our line of cookies are fresh and we have a fine assortment for you to choose from.

Fruits and Green Stuffs

All fruits and Green stuffs fresh daily. Give us a call.

NICK SCHJOTZ.

Corner Store next to Grayling Mercantile Co.

PHONE 1481

ORDERS PROMPTLY DELIVERED

Why don't you go and see Nick?

Mrs. Burrows of Flint is visiting her son Arnold Burrows and family here for several weeks.

Mrs. Frank Mack of Gaylord is spending a few days here visiting her husband, who is employed in this city.

Miss Violet Woodruff of Bay City was in the city the latter part of last week the guest of friends.

Charles E. Bingham, formerly of Grayling, is reported as being very ill with pneumonia at his home in Bay City.

It's a rare person that can't tell you of a cure for the "flu," but every one knows that Hathaway's glasses are always best.

Marius Hanson is attending a Liberty Loan meeting in Chicago. He left for that city Wednesday, accompanied by his wife and Mrs. Esbern Hanson.

Captain Fred R. Goudrow of Bay City arrived the fore part of the week for a short visit with his father John O. Goudrow and family.

Large stock of splint market baskets at 8, 15, 18 and 22 cents each. Also covered baskets at 2, 30 and 40 cents. Sorenson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clark entertained a number of the members of their family at a five o'clock dinner Monday in honor of their 33rd Wedding anniversary.

Mrs. H. Seeley and daughter Violet May of Bay City are spending the week here visiting Mrs. Seeley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hebb of du Pont avenue.

William T. Hammond, who is employed by the M. C. R. Co., and who while on a run was taken ill, is suffering with pneumonia at Mercy hospital this city.

Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Rodholm and two children of Des Moines, Iowa, arrived the latter part of the week to visit Mrs. Rodholm's father, Rev. John Rodholm, and wife.

The regular Monday night meetings of the Good Fellowship and Woman's clubs were postponed until Wednesday evening, to enable the members of both organizations to attend the Township caucuses, which were held Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Rev. C. E. Doty was called to Detroit Wednesday to attend a meeting of Bishop Henderson's Council and a great Centenary convention. It is expected that there will be about 1,000 delegates present from all over the state. Rev. Doty is the only member of the Bishop's council from the Bay City district and his selection is an honor to Grayling and the Michelson Memorial church which he represents. He will return home Saturday morning.

Mrs. G. C. Penard of Detroit recently received a letter from her mother, Ernest and Phillip Van Paten from Russia. The letter was dated December 25th, and both boys say they are weighing about 15 pounds more than they did when they left Grayling. They said they had a nice Christmas, were remembered by the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. with candy and gifts. They are near Archangel, Russia being members of the 339th Infantry. They said other Grayling boys there were fine.

Saturday March 22 and March 29 are regular registration days and at those times the registration board may be found in session at the town hall in the several townships. Registrations may be made by applying to the township clerk of our respective townships. Voters, please bear in mind that Saturday March 29 is positively the last day that registrations may be made, before the election of April 7. Register at once and take no chances of later disappointment.

Emerson Bates by his able scholarship and good physical condition has won the high honors of being appointed to enter West Point Military Academy. His scholarship standing at the University of Michigan was sufficient to qualify him mentally. Physical examination was had at West Point first of the week, in which he was successful. June 13 he will enter the Academy for a course of military training. He is the second Grayling boy to win such an honor. Edward E. Hartwick was the first. Emerson's Grayling friends will be pleased to know of his success, and our city feel proud.

Those who have given any attention to the operation of the chemical fire extinguisher in the hands of Chief William Duclos have every reason to feel pleased with the results. His ability to fight fire with the apparatus was well demonstrated at the Perry Reagan residence fire of last week. The fire originated from the furnace and had burned a large hole thru the floor and the living room was afire all over, the flames reaching the ceiling, when Chief Duclos rushed with the chemical outfit. He entered the house and soon had the fire out and within 20 minutes from the time he took the engine out of the garage, he was back again. Not a line of hose was laid, in fact, he says that at the last two fires neither hose nor water was taken out of the engine house. The chemical extinguisher seems to have been given a black eye in Grayling and little was expected of it, however Mr. Duclos has demonstrated its efficiency and no doubt in the future it will be used extensively. The Reagan home suffered a loss of between \$700 and \$800 from the fire, heat and smoke.

Sight
Saving
Glasses

Fortunate for you if your eyes are cared for while young.

But don't take chances by delaying further!

If your eyes pain, smart and twitch let us examine them

Enlist our services

C. J. HATHAWAY

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New Spring Suits
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Distinctive, stylish garments for this season are now here. We are also showing a beautiful line of the famous "Virginia Dare" dresses in serges and silks. You are invited to come in and see the new Spring Models now on display.



New Spring Hats

—in trimmed or plain tailored

\$2.50 to \$8.00

New Caps and Hats

—for Men are here—The new Colors and Shapes for Spring

Grayling Mercantile Co.

The Quality Store—Phone 1251

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GROCERS

Telephone and C. O. D. orders solicited. Prompt delivery and courteous treatment assured.

Charge Accounts Opened

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

EXTRA SPECIAL
24½ lbs. Henkel's Bread Flour \$1.50

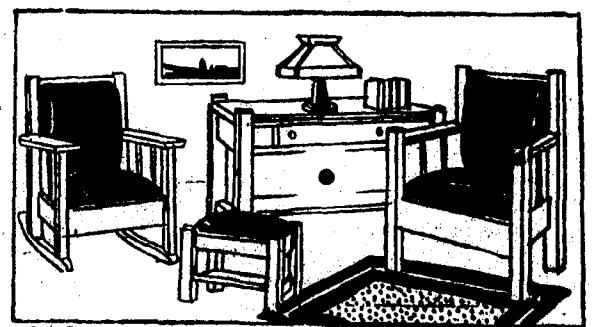
EXTRA SPECIAL
10 lbs. PURE RYE FLOUR 49c

Quaker Corn Flakes 3 for 29c
Jam, plum, pear, cherry, —
pure, . . . per jar, 29c
Pompan Olive oil 1-2 pt. 29c
Beans, hand picked 5 lbs. 45c
Corn, sweet and tender, 15c
Eagle brand milk, can, . 24c
Asparagus Tips, per can, 35c
Pickles, Dill or sour, doz. 29c
Salmon, No. 1 flat can 27c

Pineapple, Hawaiian, sliced,
Silver Bar, per can, . 32c
Pop Corn, per lb. . 13c
Oleo Nut-Ola white lb. . 33c
Jello, chocolate flavor 3 for 29c
Clean Easy soap, 10 bars 49c
Chop Suey, Chinese style, 18c
Tomatoes, solid pack, 3 for 49c
Spaghetti, 12 oz. pkg. . 11c

OLD MASTER COFFEE, 10 45c

ROYAL GARDEN TEA, 10 70c

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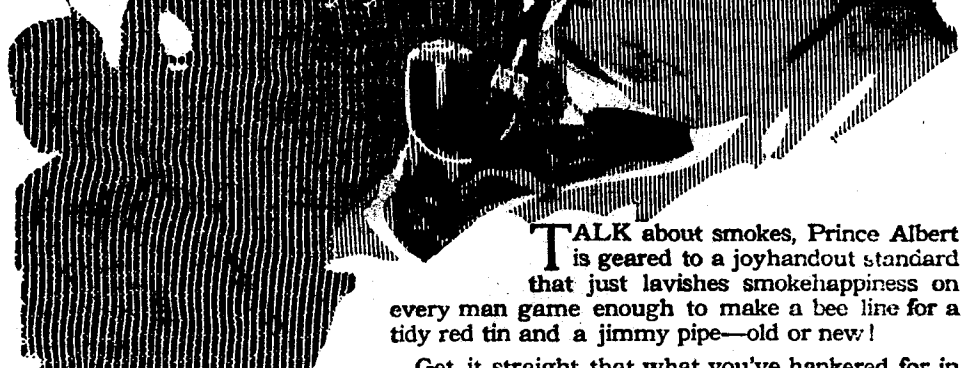
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PRINCE ALBERT

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TALK about smokes, Prince Albert is geared to a joyhandout standard that just lavishes smokehappiness on every man game enough to make a bee line for a tidy red tin and a jimmy pipe—old or new!

Get it straight that what you've hankered for in pipe or cigarette makin's smokes you'll find aplenty in P. A. That's because P. A. has the quality!

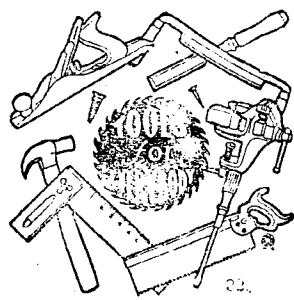
You can't any more make Prince Albert bite your tongue or parch your throat than you can make a horse drink when he's off the water! Bite and parch are cut out by our exclusive patented process!

You just lay back like a regular fellow and puff to beat the cards and wonder why in samhill you didn't nail a section in the P. A. smokepasture longer than you care to remember back!

Buy Prince Albert everywhere tobacco is sold. Toppo red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors—and that clever, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

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THERE are several reasons why this store enjoys a big patronage.

We carry a big stock. Sell highest quality in tools, builders' and mechanics' supplies, and household necessities.

Also this store is constantly looking out for the new useful things that come out.

Just make your wants known.

Salling Hanson Co.

Hardware Department



MUDDY COMPLEXION

YOUR COMPLEXION is muddy. You look haggard and yellow. Your eyes are losing their lustre. The trouble is with your liver. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will correct that. Then avoid meats, hot bread and hot cakes, take frequent baths and a long walk every day, and you will soon be as well and as beautiful as ever. Price 25 cents per bottle.

Chamberlain's Tablets

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF GRAYLING (PRECINCT NO. 1) COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, STATE OF MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Act 126, Public Acts of 1917, I, the undersigned, Township Clerk, will, upon any day except Sunday and a legal holiday, or the day if any regular or special election or official primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township not already registered who may APPLY TO ME PERSONALLY for such registration, except that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any general or special election or official primary election and the day of such election.

MARCH 29, 1919, LAST DAY FOR GENERAL REGISTRATION FOR SPRING ELECTION, APRIL 7, 1919.

All electors not already registered and intending to vote at said ELECTION, should make PERSONAL APPLICATION to me on or before the 29th day of March, A. D. 1919.

Notice is further hereby given that I will be at the Town Hall, Grayling on

MARCH 22 AND MARCH 29, 1919

From 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said Township as SHALL APPEAR and apply therefor.

The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

A special meeting of the common council of the Village of Grayling convened at the Town Hall Thursday evening March 13th, 1919. Meeting called to order by C. A. Canfield, President Pro Tem. Trustees present.—Canfield, Lewis, Roberts and Jorgenson. Absent.—Welsh and McCullough. The meeting was called for the purpose of canvassing the votes of the Village Election held Monday, March 10, 1919. The council having examined the Poll List and Tally sheets, it was moved by Lewis and supported by Roberts that the following Village officers be declared elected, for the ensuing year, to wit: President.....Hans Petersen Clerk.....James Olson Treasurer.....Holger Hanson Assessor.....James W. Sorenson Trustee 2 years.....Albert Roberts Trustee 2 years.....George W. McCullough Trustee 2 years.....Addison M. Lewis Motion carried.

Moved by Roberts and supported by Lewis that the following bills be allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer for the amounts:

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|---|------|
| 1. Peter E. Johnson, services on election board..... | 4.50 |
| 2. W. Woodfield, services on election board..... | 4.50 |
| 3. Eno K. Milnes, services on election board..... | 4.50 |
| 4. J. Fred Alexander, services on election board..... | 4.50 |
| 5. Elmer Knight, services on election board..... | 4.50 |
| 6. Arthur Moreau, gatekeeper, election day..... | 2.00 |
| 7. Francis Jennings, gatekeeper, election day..... | 2.00 |

Motion carried.

Moved by Jorgenson and supported by Lewis that we adjourn. Motion carried.

T. P. Peterson, Village Clerk.

A TIMELY SUGGESTION.

The next time you have a cough or cold try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is pleasant to take and you are sure to be pleased with the relief which it affords. This remedy has a wide reputation for its cures of coughs and colds.

Two Great Levers.

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NOTICE.

The polls at the spring election, April 7th, will be kept open until 8:00 o'clock in the evening on that day.

L. J. Kraus, Township Clerk.

NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land situated in Crawford County, State of Michigan: Northwest quarter of Northeast quarter section twenty-seven Town twenty-seven, North Range three west. Amount paid \$3.31, tax for year 1913.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$11.62 to which must be added the fees of the sheriff.

Yours respectfully,

Orlando F. Barnes.

Place of Business: 401 Nat. Bank Bldg., Lansing, Mich.

Dated, December 3rd, A. D. 1918.

To James Wark, Cook County, Chicago, Ill.

Grantee under the last recorded deed, in the regular chain of title, to said land.

Proof of Failure of Service. State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss. I do hereby Certify and Return, that after making careful inquiry and search I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of James Wark or his heirs, Executor, Administrator, Trustee or Guardian. I further, certify and return that this notice was delivered to me for service on the 3d day of December 1918. My fees, \$85.

William H. Cody, Under-Sheriff of said County. Grayling, February 20th, 1919. State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss. Returned and filed with me, this 20th day of February A. D. 1919. 3-6-4 Frank Sales, County Clerk.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 8th day of December, A.D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON. (Seal) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation. Adv.

WHY COLDS ARE DANGEROUS.

You are often told to "beware of a cold," but why? We will tell you: Every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases. People who contract pneumonia first take cold. The longer a cold hangs on, the greater the danger, especially from the germ diseases, as a cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germs of consumption, diphtheria, scarlet fever and whooping cough. The quicker you get rid of your cold, the less the danger of contracting one of these diseases. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. It is pleasant to take.

TAKE IT IN TIME.

Just as Scores of Grayling People Have.

Waiting doesn't pay. If you neglect kidney backache, urinary troubles often follow. Don't let kidney pills be for kidney backache, and for other kidney ills. Grayling citizens endorse them. Niels H. Nielsen, carpenter, Park St., says: "I had trouble with my back and kidneys for several years. My back ached constantly and was so stiff I could hardly bend over. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage, too. I got Don's Kidney Pills at Lewis' Drug Store, and they did me more good than anything else I had ever used. They always rid me of an attack in a short time." Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Don's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Nielsen had. Foster-McIlburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land situated in Crawford County, State of Michigan: Northeast quarter (¼) of Northeast quarter (¼) of Northwest quarter section seven (7) containing ten (10) acres, more or less, Town twenty-six (26) North, Range four (4) west. Amount Paid \$1.95, tax for year 1917.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$8.90 to which must be added the fees of the sheriff.

Yours respectfully,

Orlando F. Barnes.

Place of Business: 401 Nat. Bank Bldg., Lansing, Mich.

Dated, November 1, A. D. 1918.

To Harry E. Packer, Chicago, Ill.

Grantee under the last recorded deed, in the regular chain of title, to said land.

To Anthony Calkins, Chicago, Ill. Grantee named in warranty deed mentioned in recorded contract, also, Mortgagee named in undischarged recorded Mortgage on said land.

Herbert Avery, named as mortgagor and warrantor in recorded Mortgage.

Michigan Cedar Company, Bay City, Mich. Holder of timber contract.

Proof of Personal Service. State of Michigan, ss.

County of Bay, ss. I do hereby Certify and Return, that on the 13th day of December A. D. 1918, I served a notice, of which the within and foregoing is a true copy, Clarence A. Slocum by personally delivering such notice to him said above named person in said County of Bay. My fees, \$1.10.

Eugene A. Dickinson, Deputy-Sheriff of said County. Proof of Service by Registered Mail. State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss.

I do hereby Certify and Return, That on the 4th day of December A. D. 1918, I served a notice, of which the within and foregoing is a true copy, on Harry E. Packer by depositing in the United States postoffice at the Village of Grayling in said County, for transmission through the United States mail, a registered letter containing such notice enclosed in a well sealed envelope with the legal postage fully prepaid thereon and properly addressed to said above named person as follows: Harry E. Packer, Monadnock building, Chicago, Illinois. Receipt for which said registered letter signed Harry E. Packer by Mrs. H. E. Packer said above named person is hereto annexed and forms a part of this return. My fees, \$85.

Wm. H. Cody, Under-Sheriff of said County. February 20th, 1919.

Proof of Failure of Service. State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss. I do hereby Certify and Return, that after making careful inquiry and search I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Anthony Calkins or any heirs, Executor, Administrator or trustee of said Anthony Calkins; or the whereabouts or postoffice address of Herbert Avery or his heirs, Administrators, Executors or trustee of said Herbert Avery. I further certify that this notice was delivered to me for service on the 3d day of December 1918. My fees, \$85.

Wm. H. Cody, Under-Sheriff of said County. February 20, 1919. State of Michigan, ss.

County of Crawford, ss. Returned and filed with me, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1919. 3-6-4 Frank Sales, County Clerk.

HAS HAD STOMACH TROUBLE FOR SEVEN YEARS.

Theodore Sanford of Penmore, Mich., has had stomach trouble for seven years and could not eat vegetables or fruit without pain in the stomach and restless nights. By taking Chamberlain's Tablets he is now able to eat vegetables or fruit without causing pain or sleeplessness. If troubled with indigestion or constipation give these tablets a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial.

Chronic Constipation.

There are people who never have a movement of the bowels without it is produced by a cathartic. Most of them have brought that condition on themselves by the use of mineral waters and strong cathartics that take too much water out of the system and aggravate the disease they are meant to relieve. A mild laxative tonic like Chamberlain's Tablets affords a gentle movement of the bowels that you hardly realize has been produced by a medicine, and their use is not so likely to be followed by constipation.

For the Children.

Too much care cannot be exercised in selecting a cough medicine for children. It should be pleasant to take, contain no harmful drug and most effectual in curing their coughs and colds. Long experience has shown that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets these conditions. It is a favorite with many mothers.—Adv.

Periodic Bilious Attacks.

Persons subject to periodic bilious attacks will observe that their appetite fails them just before an attack. That is, they do not crave food but eat because it is meal time. If they will eat only a light meal and no meat then take two of Chamberlain's tablets the attack may be avoided.—Adv.

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